

## THE HERALD.

JNO P. BARRETT, Editor.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17, 1878.

## For Congress.

We are authorized to announce JAMES F. CLAY, of Henderson, as a candidate for Congress in this the Second Congressional District. Election, November, 1878.

We are authorized to announce A. T. RAYCROFT, of Owensboro, as a candidate for Congress in this the Second Congressional District. Election, November, 1878.

## Senator Hill.

The Legislature adjourned on the 10th inst. after a lengthy session, in which many bills of interest were disposed of, and some of importance failed. One in which the people of this part of the State felt a very great interest, the Green and Barren River Bill, was called up in the Senate by our able and faithful Senator, Hon. Sam. E. Hill, who was complimented by the reporter of the Courier-Journal as having made a powerful speech in its favor, and, from the opposition to it, we judge our Senator must have given one of his able efforts to have carried it through the Senate by such a triumphant majority. This evidence of his fidelity to the interests of this portion of the State, with the whole course of his legislative career to the true interests of the State, verifies the expectations of his constituency in his ability and integrity, and we feel proud of the man whose wisdom and dignity has borne him through this arduous legislative struggle in conflict with the ablest minds of the State, to reflect honor upon his district, win the highest respect of his opponents in their encounters, and shed additional lustre upon himself. The citizens welcome Senator Hill home, conscious that he has discharged his duty and made a record worthy of remembrance and to the honor of the State. We may safely predict for Senator Hill a promising future. He is like a good tree bringing forth fruit in its season.

**Stand Firmly by Your Colors.**

We are coming into line once more for the battle in Old Kentucky, and the greatest, most momentous question every man who has heretofore acted with and contributed to the success of the Democratic party can put to himself, must I stand firmly by the old party, to secure all that is demanded by the true interests of the nation, against the alliance of corrupt money power with the no less corrupt Radical party? A moment's reflection will suffice to arm you with all the energy and confidence of old veterans following beneath the unfurled standard of the trusty and tried Jeffersonian Democracy. By our united efforts we gained a signal victory, after years of fierce conflicts, over false Republicanism, aided by rings and monopolies, Slylock bond-holders and legions of paid officials, and with a majority in the Lower House of Congress and nearly a tie in the Senate, brought to bear the legislation of the country to the honor of the Republic and the good of the people. Must we stand fast now, to save what we have gained and accomplish all we desire, or seek in a new party to gain the same end more speedily? This is a fatal delusion, and will only end in the recovery of the Radical party to power, and place us back in the shackles of the corrupt dynasty that have nearly ruined a once thriving and industrious people. So close is the vote in many of the Congressional districts in the United States now held by the Democracy, that a few thousand votes will give the ascendancy to the Republican party. To avert this we must stand firmly and trustingly together, looking with suspicion on all new parties and independent movements to distract the Democracy and serve the opposition. The bought-up Brick Pomeroy, vacillating and ambitious Duncan, cunning and treacherous old Ben Butler, with the new National organization, is for no other purpose than to seduce the Democrats from the work they have already begun, and secure a clear majority in Congress again, that the same old corruption of money power may rule, centralization and tyranny overturn the liberties of the people, and our republican institutions become a despotism. We must not, cannot, filter, now that we are on the threshold of securing the stability and prosperity of the country by the steady charges of the old Democratic legion, with her heroic statesmen fighting in the front rank and demolishing the walls and forts of corruption, that victory may be complete and the nation redeemed. Be true to your colors, and witness the victory of your grand old party, coming up out of the storm of battle with songs of triumph and waving her banners amid the light of peace and prosperity.

Dookkeeper Polk has been dismissed from office. His chief offense seems to have been his zeal in behalf of Congressional friends. He made more appointments than the law allowed, yielding too readily to the importunities of the members. It is right that he was expelled, but what justice is there in letting those go free who instigated him to violate the law?

## GRAVES' DEMOCRATS.

In Convention they instruct for Mr. Hines for Appellate Judge.

The Mass Convention at Mayfield, held on the 8th inst., for the purpose of appointing delegates to the Appellate Court Convention, was the largest assemblage of the kind ever held in that promising little city. Near one thousand people were present, and the town looked like a bee hive.

Before the opening of the Convention speeches were made by Judges Bennett and Sweeney and Col. Hines. Considerable time was occupied in making resolutions, and getting the Convention into order, and it was near 3 o'clock when a nomination was made.

The ballots were as follows: First ballot, Hines, 360; Bennett, 280, and Sweeney, 209.

It was resolved that the hindmost in the second ballot be dropped, when another ballot was taken with the same result.

The third and last ballot followed, and was as follows: Hines, 423; Bennett, 292.

Speeches were then made by Mr. Hines and Judge Bennett.

Mr. H. S. Hale, the County Chairman, presided, and the newspaper men of the place were secretaries.

Graves casts a vote of 39 in the general convention, and the securing of this vote is quite an "item" to Mr. Hines, and he is to be congratulated.

## DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION OF THE FOURTH APPELLATE DISTRICT.

Henderson, the 12th of June the 11th.

As Chairman of the Democratic Committee of this district, I addressed a card on the 23d of February, to the Chairman of each County Committee asking an expression of opinion as to the time and place for holding a district convention to nominate a candidate for Appellate Judge in the place of Hon. Wm. Lindsay, whose term of office will soon expire.

To that end responses have been received from twenty-three counties, leaving six unheard from. Of that number, eleven favored the city of Henderson, eight Hopkinsville, and four, other points.

I have delayed the call of a convention, hoping that all would be heard from, but do not feel justified in further delay. In obedience to what I conceive to be the wishes of the district I now appoint the city of Henderson as the place, and to meet the views of many of the counties and three of the known candidates for the nomination, with no objections from the other, Wednesday, the 12th of June, as the time for the holding of said convention, and earnestly request the County Committees to take such action in their respective counties as will secure a fair and full representation of the Democracy in the convention.

W. B. MACHEN, City, 4th Appellate District Com.

April 10th, 1878.

Our Quarterly Court is in session this week.

Rev. T. D. Rust is a candidate for Assessor in Muhlenburg county.

Circuit Court is in session in our neighboring town, Greenville, this week.

Crittenden and Union counties have both instructed for Judge Caswell, Bennett for Appellate Judge.

Lieut. Governor J. C. Underwood, of Bowling Green, is a candidate for Governor.

Col. Jas. W. Caldwell is a candidate for re-election to Congress from the Bowling Green District.

It took 15,000 pounds of ice to keep the late lamented Legislature cool. Oh, what a hot set they were.

Wm. M. Tweed, of New York, paid the penalty for all his ring swindles by dying in Ludlow-street jail last Friday.

Gen. Fayette Hewitt will be a candidate for Auditor of State. Gen. Nuckols, Quartermaster General, will also be a candidate for the same position.

Four hundred and ninety-seven dollars and forty cents was returned to the Treasury by members of the late Legislature on account of mileage overdrawn.

The last Legislature voted themselves \$1,576.44 worth of newspapers. Where on earth did they find authority for this?

Webster county, in primary election, on the 8th inst., gave a majority for Judge Bennett for the Appellate Judgeship.

Henderson county instructed for Judge Caswell Bennett, for Judge of the Court of Appeals, in Convention last Saturday.

Mr. Low Holmes, of the wholesale grocery house of Moore, Brenmaker & Co., Louisville, Ky., was in town this week, in the interest of his firm. He has a very good trade here.

## A Terrible Tragedy in Big Bend, Meade County.

On Sunday morning, the 7th inst., an affray took place between William Allen, Elijah Allen, Mr. Westfall and Mr. Smith, on one side, and Sterling Alexander, Wm. Noble, Phillip Noble, Emory Mond, Walker Mond and John Beeler, on the other side. Wm. Noble was killed and John Beeler badly wounded. Allen and Alexander gave themselves up, and others have been arrested. The trouble grew out of a love affair between a daughter of Wm. Allen and Sterling Alexander.

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## Primary Election ordered.

At an adjourned meeting of the Democratic Executive Committee for Ohio county, held at the County Court Clerk's office in Hartford, April 14th, 1878.

Present: E. D. Walker, J. W. Ford, J. L. Collins, Tyler Griffin, A. L. Morton, H. D. McHenry. By proxy, Z. W. Griffin and Jesse E. Fogle.

On motion, the committee proceeded to take action as to the best mode to secure the choice of the Democracy of the county for candidates to fill the various county offices at the approaching August election. And thereupon the following preamble and resolutions were adopted, viz:

That we deem it expedient, under existing circumstances, that the Democratic party of Ohio county should take some action to insure harmony in its ranks at the August election, 1878, and that we believe that it is in harmony with the wish of the majority of the Democracy of the county that a Primary Election should be held to select candidates to fill the various county offices to be filled in August, 1878, therefore, be it

**Resolved**, 1st, That the Democrats of Ohio county, and all persons of the county that are for reform in county, State and Federal government, and who propose to affiliate with the Democratic party, be requested to assemble at district voting places in Ohio county, on the 25th day of May, 1878, at 8 o'clock a. m., and cast their respective votes for each Democratic office they may desire to fill the various offices to be filled in August next, and that the polls be kept open till 1 o'clock p. m.

2d, That all persons voting in said Primary Election are expected to support the nominees chosen by said primary vote.

3d, The persons who shall receive the highest number of votes for the respective offices cast at said election shall be declared the nominees of the Democratic party of Ohio county by the Democratic Committee, after a full and fair comparison of the polls taken at the various voting places in the county.

4th, That we urge upon every true Democrat in the county the importance of his attending and casting his vote, so that the result may reflect the wishes of the Democracy of the whole county.

5th, That the following-named gentlemen be, and they are hereby, requested and authorized to take charge of and conduct said election in their respective precincts whose duty it shall be to take a true and correct poll of the votes cast, and deliver the poll-books properly certified, to J. E. Fogle, Secretary of the County Committee, on the 27th day of May, 1878, at Hartford, and that the election be conducted in accordance with the State laws governing elections, to-wit:

No. 1—Rosine—P. H. Alford and R. E. Chiles, Judges, Joshua F. Lewis, Clerk.

Cool Springs—Isaac Brown and H. S. Cummings, Judges, W. D. Coleman, Clerk.

Rockport—Dr. C. W. Layton and Z. W. Skantz, Judges, John Harper, Clerk.

No. 3—Centertown—W. H. Fulkerson and Wm. Warden, Judges, George R. Ashby, Clerk.

No. 4—Bell's Store—David Cox and Wm. M. Bell, Judges, John D. Holtcock, Clerk.

No. 5—Fordsville—Harry T. Ford and Henry Smith, Judges, Milford Truman, Clerk.

No. 6—Ellis—Henry Whitley and Thomas Lloyd, Judges, Wallace Haynes, Clerk.

No. 7—Lower Hartford—A. B. Bennett and L. H. Luce, Judges, A. T. Nall, Clerk.

No. 8—Cromwell—Dr. B. N. Patterson and Samuel Austin, Judges, W. L. S. Bracken, Clerk.

No. 9—Upper Hartford—James F. Carson and M. P. McDowell, Judges, A. C. Ellis, Clerk.

No. 10—Sulphur Springs—A. T. Hines and J. C. Bean, Judges, G. S. Fitzgibbon, Clerk.

No. 11—Bartlett—Ben W. Taylor and Hiram Chapman, Jr., Judges, Thomas A. Stewart, Clerk.

6th, That should any of the above named gentlemen fail to attend at the specified time, or attending refuse to act, their places may be filled by the Democratic voters present.

7th, That it is expected that every Democratic candidate in the county who wishes or intends to submit his claims to his party at said Primary Election, shall notify J. E. Fogle, Secretary of the County Committee, in writing, by the 10th day of May, 1878, in order that his name may be placed on the poll books before they are sent out to the various precincts, and in the event that any such shall so fail to present themselves, they shall have the right to cause their names to be put on the poll books by the various officers of the election.

8th, That it is expected that the expenses of printing and of conducting the said Primary Election shall be paid by the various Democratic candidates voted for, and J. E. Fogle, Secretary of the County Committee, is authorized to ascertain the expense, and the various candidates are requested to pay to him their proportionate part of same at the time of having in their names to be placed on the poll books as directed.

9th, That at the time and place of holding said Primary Election there shall be opened a poll for the purpose of determining the choice of the Democracy of Ohio county for a candidate for the Judgeship of the Court of Appeals of the State of Kentucky, and when said election is held, the Primary Election shall be ascertained, the Chairman of the Democratic Committee for Ohio county shall appoint delegates to attend the Convention called to nominate a Democratic candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals, and said delegates shall be instructed to cast the vote of Ohio county as a unit for the candidate receiving the highest number of votes at the said Primary Election.

10th, That the editor of the Hartford Herald be requested to publish these proceedings in the Hartford Herald, and that he be directed to send one copy of the issue of said paper in which the foregoing proceedings are published to each of the officers of the election named for said Primary Election.

And on motion the meeting of the Committee was then adjourned sine die.

E. DEWEY WALKER, Chairman.

JESSE E. FOGLE, Secretary.

The vote upon the question of calling a convention to revise the Constitution of Kentucky will not be taken next August, as many persons think, but in August, 1879. When a resolution for taking such a vote is passed by the Legislature, the Constitution provides that it shall be taken at the next general election which shall be held for representatives to the General Assembly.

The Democratic Union county, met on Monday, the 8th inst., and instructed for Judge Caswell Bennett, as first choice, and Judge Geo. W. Williams as second choice, for Appellate Judge.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

**For County Judge.**

We are authorized to announce Benjamin Newton, Esq., of Barford as a candidate for County Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election, August, 1878.

We are authorized to announce F. P. MORRIS, as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Ohio county, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election, August, 1878.

We are authorized to announce JOHN P. MORTON, as a candidate for the office of Assessor of Ohio county, dependent on the Greenback party. Election, August, 1878.

We are authorized to announce ARMISTEAD JONES as a candidate for the office of Assessor, subject to a Convention of the Democratic party, should one be deemed necessary. Election, August, 1878.

We are authorized to announce JOHN P. FOSTER, of Beaver Dam, as a candidate for the office of Assessor of Ohio county. Election, August 5th, 1878.

We are authorized to announce JOHN W. MOSELEY, of Ellis' precinct, as a candidate for Assessor of Ohio county, subject to a Democratic primary Election or Convention if one should be held. Election, August 1878.

We are authorized to announce GEORGE L. O'BRYEN, of Cromwell district, as a candidate for the office of Assessor. Election, August 5th, 1878.

We are authorized to announce JOHN M. LEACH, as candidate for the office of Assessor of Ohio county, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election, August 5th, 1878.

**Coroner.**

We are authorized to announce THOS. H. BISHWELL, as a candidate for re-election to the office of Coroner of Ohio county, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election, August, 1878.

We are authorized to announce N. B. HICKER, of Beaver Dam neighborhood, as a candidate for Coroner of Ohio county, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election, August, 1878.

**Magistrate.**

We are authorized to announce JAS. D. BYERS as a candidate for Magistrate in the Hartford district.

**For Constable.**

To the voters of the Centertown, Rockport and Cool Springs voting precincts: I am a candidate for the office of Constable in the Magisterial district composed of these three voting districts. Election, August 1878. Would feel thankful for your influence and votes. Respectfully, B. C. WARDEN.

We are authorized to announce JAMES W. DANIEL, as a candidate for the office of Constable in the Cromwell district. Election, August 5, 1878.

We are authorized to announce ALFRED ASHBY, Jr., as a candidate for the office of Constable of Hartford Precinct composed of Hartford and Beaver Dam voting places. Election, August, 1878.

We are authorized to announce W. D. BARNARD, of Cromwell, as a candidate for Constable in the Rockport Magisterial district. Election, August 1878.

We are authorized to announce JOHN H. MAGANN as a candidate for Constable in the Fordsville Magisterial district. Election, August, 1878.

We are authorized to announce Mr. J. D. GORDON, of Cool Springs neighborhood as a candidate for Constable in the Rockport district, composed of Centertown, Rockport and Cool Springs voting precincts. Election, August, 1878.

**Beaver County Baptist Ministers' Meeting.**

Since the announcement for this body to meet at Calhoun on Tuesday, after the first Sunday in May, next, we have learned that the Southern Baptist Convention has so changed the time of its meeting as to convene on Thursday of the same week. So it becomes necessary for our meeting at Calhoun to be changed back to the time of first announcement in the minutes of our Association, namely: On Tuesday after the second Sunday in May, next. Let all the preachers observe this change and announce it, as now fixed, to their respective congregations. It is important that we have a full meeting at Calhoun. Let all those having duties assigned them come prepared to discharge the same.

J. M. PEAT, J. D. ARNOLD, J. S. COLEMAN.

P. S.—We take the privilege of making this change, believing that it will meet the approval of the body.

P. A. & C. Owensboro, Ky., April 8, 1878.

## Notice.

In accordance with the provisions of the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Ohio County Bank, at Hartford, Ky.," approved March 13th, 1876, books for receiving subscription to the capital stock to establish the bank have been opened. The capital is divided into 250 shares of \$100 each.

H. D. McHenry, Z. WAXSON GRIFIN, J. A. THOMAS.

**Another Happy "Dad."**

On Tuesday, the 5th inst., the wife of T. L. Davis, of Sulphur Springs, presented him beautiful twins, a boy, weight eight pounds, and a girl, weight seven and a half pounds.

A fire in Clarksville, Tenn., Sunday night destroyed 57 houses and half a million dollars worth of property.

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